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Scholarship Winners Announced at Library Event
by David Young

During the Scholarship Winners recognized. Three endowed scholarships and five non-endowed scholarships were presented at the April 16th FOL event. Certificates were presented to all scholarship winners.

The Friends of the Library Dean Elinor F. Foster Scholarship ($1,000) was awarded to Cassidy Jordan Miles, a sophomore psychology major from Marshville, North Carolina; the Ben Chavis, Grandmother Lela Locklear Chavis and Great-great grandfather John Archie Locklear/Friends of the Library Endowed Scholarship ($1,000) was awarded to Christian Butler Ryckeley, a junior biology major from Tar Heel, North Carolina; the Friends of the Library Endowed Scholarship ($500) was awarded to Zachary R. Lunn, a sophomore biology major from Lumber Bridge, North Carolina; the Friends of the Library Generalist Endowed Scholarship ($500) was awarded to Heidi Pinkerton, a senior biology/chemistry major from Hope Mills, North Carolina.

Four book scholarships ($300 each) were awarded to the following students: Lewis Duran Adams, a senior business management major from Lilesville, North Carolina; Jasmine Akai Akalaonu, a graduate student in social work from Fayetteville, North Carolina; Mireida Perez-Cortez, a sophomore mathematics education major from Asheboro, North Carolina; and Hannah Rachael Lineberger, a junior elementary education major from Fayetteville, North Carolina.

The Friends of the Library Board of Directors and the FOL Scholarship Committee would like to take this opportunity to congratulate all the winners of the 2014 scholarships.
Message from the Dean of Library Services

We are once again welcoming a new academic year. I always vow to never say what a quick summer it has been, but again it is the first thing that comes to mind. This year our Friends of the Library organization is extremely excited to be able to add another $10,000 to our Endowed General Scholarship Fund. This means that we will now offer two, not one, $500 scholarships under this particular fund. And what is especially exciting is that the Friends now offer a total of nine scholarships to UNCP students.

Dr. David Nikkel
is our new president of the Friends of the Library Board and brings his enthusiasm to our projects. Our returning Board members bring experience that is invaluable to successful endeavors. Information will be forthcoming about the Faculty Showcases planned for this year, as well as other programs and activities, which will be sponsored by the Friends.

The Library has been very busy preparing for returning faculty and students. We continue to offer our first credit-bearing course, Lib 1000: Introduction to Academic Research. The fact that this course was so well received last year means that we are offering more sections this year. One of our most noticeable changes is the look of our webpage. It reflects the update of the University’s web presence, and users will notice that there is no longer a Coastal Carolina Library Consortium search option. This means that users can no longer search the catalogs of Fayetteville State University and the University of North Carolina Wilmington while searching our Library’s online catalog BraveCat. They can still search these libraries’ online catalogs, but not as a part of a single search. Additionally, if they find an item that they would like to use at one of the libraries, they will need to request it through interlibrary loan. More information about this transition is found in another article in this newsletter.

Support from all our Friends members is essential to the development and growth of initiatives such as scholarships which assist UNCP students, sponsorship of author appearances and reading programs, and funding of materials needed by the Library. As always, thank you if you are already a member and thank you to those who realize the importance of becoming a new member. I can’t think of any better way to begin a new academic year that by renewing or starting a membership in our Friends of the Library. The application to join the Friends can be found at the end of this newsletter. If you have any questions, please call Chris Bowyer at 910.521.6483 or me at 910.521.6212. Information about the Friends, along with membership forms, can be found at http://www.uncp.edu/academics/library/friends-library

Message from the FOL President

It’s my pleasure to serve as president of the Friends of the Library Board for the 2014-15 academic year. I hope you’ll consider joining me in the good work the Friends of the Library do by becoming a member, if you’re not already. For just a $10 tax-deductible donation, you will contribute to the following programs and projects we sponsor: 1) annual scholarships in five different categories for numerous UNCP students; 2) purchasing materials not covered under the Library’s budget; 3) along with fellow sponsors, the Kiwars of Robeson County, a Poetry and Short Prose Contest. This annual contest rewards not only UNCP students but also high school students and members of the community in several categories; 4) three to four Faculty showcases each year for book authors to discuss their work, thus honoring faculty success in research and providing stimulating discussion; 5) bringing speakers from around the country to campus; 6) planning programs with other campus groups to celebrate Native American Heritage and Black History months; and 7) miscellaneous other endeavors each year.

For faculty and staff, joining Friends of the Library is a way to give a gift to our University, all of which will directly support its principal purposes—educating our students and supporting scholarship that touches our students and the wider community. For Friends from the community, your membership entitles you to borrow books, audio books, DVDs, and other circulating materials. With your help, I’m looking forward to an exciting, rewarding year for the Friends of the Library.
Web Changes Abound @ the Library

by Robert Arndt

If you have visited the Mary Livermore Library’s webpage recently, you have probably noticed a few changes. In May, the Library, along with the rest of the University, got a new look with a major redesign to its web presence. It had been almost 10 years since the University had updated its webpages.

“We have adjusted well,” said Michael Alewine, Outreach/Distance Education Librarian. “We worked with the University Communications and DoIT staff to tweak the changes to be more user-friendly—after all, our pages are instructional resources and not just basic information sites.” Carl Danis, Collection Development/Electronic Resources Librarian, and Chris Bowyer, University Library Technician for Government Documents/Development & the primary Web Information Coordinator (WIC), have worked to update web links that were broken when pages were changed. “All the information is still there,” said Bowyer. “It just may be at a new spot on our pages.”

This spring, the Library also migrated to a new integrated library system, Sierra, but patrons should see no difference as the rest of the University, got a new look with a major redesign to its web presence. It had been almost 10 years since the University had.

Friends with Benefits

Thank you for being a member of the Friends of the Library. Your membership dues help support the goals and scholarships of the FOL. The Friends could not continue to fund scholarships and programs without your support. You can continue to help the Friends grow by encouraging your friends and family to join, by purchasing a Friends membership for family and friends as birthday or holiday presents, and by checking out materials and attending the programs sponsored by the Friends of the Library.

Members of the Friends of the Library are awarded these item-checkout privileges:

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Did you know that you can read Library Lines online? Just go to http://www.uncp.edu/academics/library/friends-library/library-lines

Special Summer Instruction with Junior Braves and BAR

by Claire Clemens

Each summer Mary Livermore Library is delighted to conduct research sessions for young people enrolled in a variety of UNCP enrichment programs.

This July, the Library welcomed over forty rising third through eighth graders, attendees at one of the two Junior Braves week-long programs offered by the Office of Engaged Outreach and the Regional Center. Librarians provided research-related activities for four groups in three areas: Animal Exploration, Library Resources, and Google Earth.

Claire Clemens, Instructional Services/Reference Librarian, took a look at how information gets on the Internet, using the example of animal research. By examining the reference list at the end of a Wikipedia entry, students could see that the original sources were articles and books. After searching the library catalog for books, each student located and used three print sources to complete a graphic organizer on an animal of his/her choice. Robert Arndt, Reference/Instructional Services Librarian, devised a very popular library scavenger hunt to actively engage students in locating library materials of all kinds.

Working in pairs, students hunted for clues in books and DVDs, which led them to search the library catalog in order to find subsequent items containing new clues. In the library technology classroom, Michael Alewine, Outreach/Distance Education Librarian, set up laptops equipped with the latest version of Google Earth. The excitement was evident as students were guided through a series of amazing geographical discoveries.

High school students enrolled in the Summer Transportation Institute came to the Library for an introduction to research. Our online research guide (http://libguides.uncp.edu/) provides an excellent overview of many possible careers in transportation. Forty recent high school graduates participating in Raising the BAR (Braves Academic Readiness) - a summer bridge program for selected freshmen – joined us one night a week for four weeks. In a series of classes, students learned how to navigate academic resources in preparation for doing research at the university level.

Both the librarians and the prospective UNCP students shared in the joy of these special summer learning opportunities.
Kudos and Happenings
by Robert Arndt and Michael C. Alewine

Michael Alewine, Outreach/Distance Education Librarian, served on the Program Advisory Board for the 16th Annual Distance Library Services Conference that was held in Denver in April.


Anne Coleman, Assistant Dean for Research Services, proudly announced that her grandson, Robert Kirkley, Jr. (RJ), graduated from preschool at Scotland Christian Academy, in Laurinburg, N.C., on June 6, 2014.

Gwendolyn Locklear, Executive Assistant, announced that her son, Andrew, was married to Candace Sampson on August 9. Also, Gwen and her husband, Pastor Charles Locklear, have founded Bethany Christian Fellowship, which is right across the street from the University, located in the BSU/BCM House. The church held its first service on Sunday, May 11, and has quickly grown in membership since then. Sherry Locklear has created a Facebook site for the church. Gwen said, “All are welcome to attend each Sunday for worship service at 10:30 a.m. and on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 for Bible Study.”

Tela Brooks, University Library Technician for Document Delivery/Returnables, announced that her son, Jordan Brooks, graduated from the United States Army basic training at Fort Jackson, S.C., on June 12. He is currently stationed at Fort Lee, Va.


The Card
by Lauren Colonair

What is the worst thing you have ever done? What could you do to change it? Would you stay away for another soul or pay your life savings to erase this one bad deed? Maybe your worst deed is not that bad, you may want to forget it, but it is not worth much effort or money.

How does this sound, swipe a small plastic card in a tiny black machine and the worst action you ever bestowed on humanity will have never occurred. What’s the catch? I would be lying if I said there was none. There is one thing you must know. If you take this action, and erase this one part of your life, one other thing will change in your life. It may be a big change, or it may be a small. Is your wrong doing worth this chance? Will you swipe your card?

I read the sign over and over in my mind. It was too good to be true. I can change it all. I feel a weight lifted from my being. My whole body turns into a jet engine as I rush through the streets of New York City. The ghost white door leading to my home does not hinder my exuberant entrance. I burst into the kitchen.

“Daniel,” I pant. “I need a card.” Daniel turns; he is a short boy, at least three inches shorter than I am, even though he is six years older.

“A what?” he asks.

“Dan, the card they are offering I must have one.”

His face hardens, “It won’t work, and you know it won’t.”

“If it doesn’t work, I don’t lose a thing.” I argue.

Daniel maneuvers around me. “What if it only works to a certain extent?” he asks. “What if it doesn’t fix your mistakes, but does change a part of your life?”

I ponder this. “I’m willing to take that chance,” I say, my voice betraying my confidence.

Dan nods a slow, disappointed nod. “They are handing them out at the corner of Broadway and Fifth,” he says.

“Thank you,” I wrap my arms around his neck and shoot out the door.

For a split second a light fills the room, it is over. A man comes from behind the desk. “Thank you, Miss Concord,” he says, “Have a nice day.” I smile and leave the room. It no longer happened. Change in your life. It may be a big change, or it may be a small. Is your wrong doing worth this chance? Will you swipe your card?

Take It Slow
by Sequoyah Barton

Until she loves me
I will love her and tell her goodnight
Walking her to class
Meeting her

She needs to know me
Real slow
Get to know one another
Carry on

She needs to know me
I will love her and tell her goodnight

Get to know one another
Carry on

I will love her and tell her goodnight
Until she loves me

A special thanks to the judges of the Poetry/Prose Contest: Mrs. Julie Arndt, Public Schools of Robeson County; Dr. Jessica Pitchford, English, Theatre, & Foreign Languages; and Dr. Charles Tita, English, Theatre, & Foreign Languages.
Don't Forget Me
by M. Gordon Byrd

In the lake half smothering me
You clung to my neck
Your surrendered joy clutching me
I swam you along
You fearfully, blissfully grasping me
As the other kids splashed

"爸爸抱抱"
I lifted you teeth chattering
"爸爸抱抱"
I whisper, "Don't forget me"

"爸爸抱抱"
I carried you to your mother
In my neck snuggling
"爸爸抱抱"
In my arms with your head
"爸爸抱抱"
In my towel swaddling
"爸爸抱抱"
"I'm baby" you reminded me

"爸爸抱抱"
I lifted you teeth chattering
"爸爸抱抱"
You fearfully, blissfully grasping me
"爸爸抱抱"
I swam you along
"爸爸抱抱"
You surrendered
"爸爸抱抱"
You clung to my neck
"爸爸抱抱"
In the lake half smothering me

Braille Identity

by M. Gordon Byrd

Contest Winners

Kept
by Mary-Louise Wilmore

I forget
Things learned
Details unravel
Names escape
Times and faces
Fade
In the recess
Quietly kept
Under soft dust coverings
Not you though –
Still in that place you
Found
Nestled in
Woven fibers around
Threaded thoughts
A garment
Wrapping me –
While frequent walks
Keep weeds off our old paths
No particles will settle
Carefully kept
Here
Un lhading
Times and places
Never escape
Details knitted
Things learned
I remember

General Public

Smoking Cessation
by Zack Lunn

People say that time stands still when you meet your true love. This silver-screen romance is a manufactured creation to bring in profit and fill theaters across the globe. Love at first sight is a fairy-tale farce. It’s all bullshit. Marcus believed this. Yes, he was deeply in love with his wife, but he had always carried this cynical view of true love since he was old enough to pop a boner. Oddly enough, the fact that Jessica believed differently was why he was so attracted to her when they first met.

Marcus was thinking about her as he closed his laptop and leaned backwards into the computer. He lit a cigarette from the pack sitting next to the computer. That first heavenly drag of nicotine and tobacco was like letting all of life’s problems into his body and letting them in one puff of smoke. He was trying to quit – the smell made Jessica sick ever since she got pregnant.

Marcus pushed himself from his desk and stood up from the leather chair. Walking over to a bookshelf, he pulled out a Joni Mitchell album and threw it in the record player. Joni never failed to remind him of his wife, who worshipped the Canadian singer-songwriter. She was always going on about the purity of music from the sixties, and how it isn’t the same anymore. Something like that, at least.

Taking a final pull from his cigarette, Marcus walked over to his desk and put out the smoke in his ashtry. He slumped back down in his chair and reopened his laptop. He used to be disciplined about writing when he was younger, before he married Jessica, but he was struggling lately. Joni would help. And nicotine – that too.

Marcus put his hands on the keyboard, but the doorbell rang before he got a word out. "Of course."

He stood up from the front door, and peeked through the curtains. There was a man in a police uniform and a woman in a skirt and blouse. Marcus opened the door, and the police officer spoke.

"Good evening, sir. I’m Officer Williams, and this is Doctor Hagan. We’d like to speak with Mr. Marcus Cullen."

"That’s me."

"Mr. Cullen, is there somewhere comfortable inside where we can sit down?"

Joni Mitchell was singing something about love and youth in the background. Fuck. He really needed to quit smoking.

Penny Locklear, University Library Technician for Document Delivery
Non-returnables, is pleased to announce that her daughter, Miss Madison Jordan Locklear, graduated from Purnell Swett High School in Pembroke, N.C., on June 13, 2014. Madison plans to attend Robeson Community College in the fall and pursue a career in radiography.

Jerry McRae, University Library Technician for Reference, married Kellye' Boyd on June 28. The wedding was attended by several library personnel. Jerry and his bride honeymooned at Miami Beach. The couple will reside in Red Springs. Kellye' is employed by Southeastern Regional Medical Center in Lumberton.

June Power, Access Services/Reference Librarian, was invited to be the keynote speaker at the 2014 Washington, D.C., Area Joint Spring Workshop, after the publication of her article "Mobile Apps for Librarians" in the April 2013 issue of Journal of Access Services. Presenting on April 24, 2014, at the Madison Building of the Library of Congress in Washington, D.C., Power’s topic was "Winds of Change: Librarians in a Mobile World." The premise of the presentation was that in an increasingly mobile environment, library and reading-related activities often take place on a phone or tablet device. Not only does this mean that library websites must keep mobile navigability in mind, but also develop and utilize apps that allow patrons to interact with information and with libraries. Additionally, June discussed digital data storage solutions for the mobile librarian and digital collaborative tools.

Sherry Locklear, University Library Technician for Cataloging, was beaming as her daughter Leighana Koone wed Blake Campbell at Berea Baptist Church on July 22, 2014 at 5:30 p.m. The wedding was attended by several library personnel. The newlyweds are vacationing in Hawaii, where the bride’s half-sister lives. Sherry stated, “On behalf of the bride and groom, we thank all those who attended and helped to make their wedding a success.”

Saprina Oxendine, University Library Specialist for Cataloging, and her husband, Timothy, proudly celebrated their son’s academic achievement as Isaiah was inducted into the Junior Beta Club on May 16 at Union Chapel Elementary School.

David Young, Catalog Librarian, announced that his niece Kathy E. Young was married to David Burge on July 26 in the Air Force Academy Chapel at Colorado Springs, Colo. David performed a solo at her wedding. David also announced that his niece, Meredith E. Young, will be getting married in October in his hometown of Simsburry, Conn.
I just have to keep
Never stop writing, never
I must be its storyteller
Can keep air in its lungs
My thoughts and words together
I must write forever
But I know, I know how to make it stay
Of filth and beams ready to give way
That hides behind the display
When the house began to decay
But I'd never see him throw
Sitting under a broken window
Never Can Say Goodbye
Outdated
Spinach green mold on each doorway
A master and two subjects
There are three bedrooms
Through the roof there's rain
Underneath the green mush
I can still see the juice stains
But I love it there
The carpet feels soaked
Dryness, the wind, the sun.
But I dream of a sky that is bounded by trees. I dream
I see the sky above me, arching over me, stretching as
Still water.
Wildflowers in fields. I dream of water lilies growing in
Twined through trees by the roadside. I dream of
Beds.
Tidy beds. Controlled beds. Watered beds. Tended
Borders.
And bushes.
Of wide rivers wandering along banks filled with grasses
Verdant swamp vegetation, rich even in winter. I dream
Makes the grandiose claim that I cross a river.
I cross a creek bed with no signs of water. Its sign
Tones body you only find at a nursing home.
Wasn't a day older that seventy-five and had the kind of shapely and
toned body you only find at a nursing home.
Bartholomew ambled down the stairs. Thunderstruck, he
could not believe his eyes. The woman at the door was short, stout,
Wrinkled, and in the possession of an abnormally large nose.
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Sure?" Bartholomew was no magician with the ladies, nine previous
Marriages attested to that fact. But if at first you don't succeed at
Love, then try, try, try, try, try, try, try, try again.
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But lands on the hard, cold ground
It flies soft, feathered wings
Love is for the birds
It flies soft, feathered wings
But lands on the hard, cold ground
It flies back home with expectation
Love is for the birds
It flies back home with expectation
But when they return
The nest is gone
Love is for the birds
I think I'll be a bird
I walk this land, beautiful in its own way.
I dream of a sky that is bounded by trees. I dream of
Gentle hills and slopes. I dream of mud squishing between my toes.
I cross a creek bed with no signs of water. Its sign
Makes the grandiose claim that I cross a river.
I see trees growing tamely in yards.
But I dream of trees reaching to the sky. I dream of
Verdant swamp vegetation, rich even in winter. I dream of
Wides rivers wandering along banks filled with grasses
Bushes.
I see beds of flowers in yards, colors contained within
Borders.
Tidy beds. Controlled beds. Watered beds. Tended
Beds.
But I dream of flowers run riot. I dream of wisteria vines
Twined through trees by the roadside. I dream of
Wildflowers in fields. I dream of water lilies growing in
Still water.
I see the sky above me, arching over me, stretching as
Far as I can see.
Blue sky. Cloudless sky. Wide sky. Big sky.
But I dream of a sky that is bounded by trees. I dream of
Fat, white clouds drifting through the sky. I dream of
Water-filled thunderheads.
I walk a country that is now my home. I love the
dryness, the wind, the sun.
But still I dream of green.

Bartholomew Baxley and the Tale of Forbidden Love
by Jack Frederick

It was a dark and stormy night in the year 1539, as dark and
Stormy as any Bartholomew Baxley had ever seen and the old
cogder had seen a few in his ninety-seven years. Living at
Fautoiterly Castle was not ideal. The plumbing was substandard,
the basement was moldy, and it was hard to meet interesting women
in this part of England.

The long and short of all this was that Baxley was a rich but
Lonely man. And at ninety-seven Bartholomew had long since given
up the hope of finding the next Mrs. Baxley. Into this curious cocktail
of loneliness and gloom came a knock at the door. Who could it be?
A salesman? A dastard in distress needing a ninety-seven year old
Superwoman?

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dryness, the wind, the sun.
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I just have to keep
Can keep air in its lungs
My thoughts and words together
But I know, I know how to make it stay
That hides behind the display
No one can see the life
We stopped being close
But I'd never see him throw
There's a ball in his hand
And young me in a meadow
Sitting under a broken window
A maniacal Jackson just yelling

Never Can Say Goodbye
Outdated
Spinach green mold on each doorway
A master and two subjects
There are three bedrooms
Underneath the green mush
I can still see the juice stains
The carpet feels soaked

The street name is Lubbock
There is an old building
There are three bedrooms
A master and two subjects
Spinach green mold on each doorway
Outdated Observer floating so reflexed
Never Can Say Goodbye plays like a broadcast
A maniacal Jackson just yelling to be honest

It's been played by an old stereo
Sit under a broken window
Through which I can see Tommy
And young me in a meadow
There's a ball in his hand
But I'd never seen him throw

We stopped being close
When the house began to decay
No one can see the life
That hides behind the display
Of五个 beams ready to give way
But I know, I know how to make it stay
I must write forever
My thoughts and words together
Can keep air in its lungs
I must be its storyteller
Never stop writing, never
I just have to keep—

Purnell Swett High School

But I Dream of Green
by Jean Sexton
I walk this land, beautiful in its own way,
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Your surrendered joy clutching me
I swear you along.

You fearfully, blissfully grasping me
As the other kids splashed

"爸爸抱抱"
I whispered, "Don’t forget me"

I carried you to your mother
In my arms with your head
"I’m baby" you reminded me
I lifted you teeth chattering

"As the other kids splashed
I swam you along
You clung to my neck
In the lake half smothering me"

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Kudos and Happenings
by Robert Arndt and Michael C. Alewine

Michael Alewine, Outreach/Distance Education Librarian, served on the Program Advisory Board for the 16th Annual Distance Library Services Conference that was held in Denver in April.


Anne Coleman, Assistant Dean for Research Services, proudly announced that her grandson, Robert Kirkley, Jr. (RJ), graduated from preschool at Scotland Christian Academy, in Laurinburg, N.C., on June 6, 2014.

Gwendolyn Locklear, Executive Assistant, announced that her son, Andrew, was married to Candace Sampson on August 9. Also, Gwen and her husband, Pastor Charles Locklear, have founded Bethany Christian Fellowship, which is right across the street from the University, located in the BSU/BCM House. The church held its first service on Sunday, May 11, and has quickly grown in membership since then. Sherry Locklear has created a Facebook site for the church.

Tela Brooks, University Library Technician for Document Delivery/Returnables, announced that her son, Jordan Brooks, graduated from the United States Army basic training at Fort Jackson, S.C., on June 12. He is currently stationed at Fort Lee, Va.


The Card
by Lauren Colonair

What is the worst thing you have ever done? What could you do to change it? Would you stay away for another soul or pay your life savings to erase this one bad deed? Maybe your worst deed is not that bad, you may want to forget it, but it is not worth much effort or money.

How does this sound, swipe a small plastic card in a tiny black machine and the worst action you ever bestowed on humanity will have never occurred. What’s the catch? I would be lying if I said there was none. There is one thing you must know. If you take this action, and erase this one part of your life, one other thing will change in your life. It may be a big change, or it may be a small. Is your wrong doing worth this chance? Will you swipe your card?

I read the sign over and over in my mind. It was too good to be true. I can change it all. I feel a weight lifted from my being. My whole body turns into a jet engine as I rush through the streets of New York City. The ghost white door leading to my home does not hinder my exuberant entrance. I burst into the kitchen.

“Daniel,” I pant. “I need a card.” Daniel turns; he is a short boy, at least three inches shorter than I am, even though he is six years older.

“A what?” he asks.

“Dan, the card they are offering I must have one.”

His face hardens, “It won’t work, and you know it won’t.”

“It if doesn’t work, I don’t lose a thing,” I argue.

Daniel maneuvers around me. “What if it only works to a certain extent?” he asks. “What if it doesn’t fix your mistakes, but does change a part of your life?”

I ponder this. “I’m willing to take that chance,” I say, my voice betraying my confidence.

Dan nods a slow, disappointed nod. “They are handing them out at the corner of Broadway and Fifth,” he says.

“I won’t go,” I argue. “I won’t go,” he argues.

Daniel’s words echo in my head. I feel a weight from my being.

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“You are over,” I call out. There is no answer. “Daniel,” I call again as fear rises inside of me. I frantically search the house. My brother is back, but my best friend is gone!

For a split second a light fills the room, it is over. A man comes from behind the desk. “Thank you, Miss Concord,” he says, “Have a nice day.” I smile and leave the room. It no longer happened I must. When I return home in two months there will no longer be emptiness in all of our hearts. Instead of the darkness my brother will be there. I will no longer relive the sight of him struggling to stay above the icy water. No, I saved him and he is now alive and happy. I reach the familiar white door and pull it open.

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A special thanks to the judges of the Poetry/Prose Contest: Mrs. Julie Arndt, Public Schools of Robeson County; Dr. Jessica Pitchford, English, Theatre, & Foreign Languages; and Dr. Charles Tita, English, Theatre, & Foreign Languages.
Web Changes Abound @ the Library
by Robert Arndt

If you have visited the Mary Livermore Library’s webpage recently, you have probably noticed a few changes. In May, the Library, along with the rest of the University, got a new look with a major redesign to its web presence. It had been almost 10 years since the University had updated its webpages.

“We have adjusted well,” said Michael Alewine, Outreach/Distance Education Librarian. “We worked with the University Communications and DoIT staff to tweak the changes to be more user-friendly—after all, our pages are instructional resources and not just basic information sites.” Carl Davis, Collection Development/Electronic Resources Librarian, and Chris Bowyer, University Library Technician for Government Documents/Development & the primary Web Information Coordinator (WIC), have worked to update web links that were broken when pages were changed. “All the information is still there,” said Bowyer. “It just may be at a new spot on our pages.”

This spring, the Library also migrated to a new integrated library system, Sierra, but patrons should see no difference as the library staff see a more modern and streamlined look. “It is brighter and more modern,” said Bowyer. The Library also updated its webpages.

“Please pardon the dust,” Bowyer added. Patrons may have noticed some broken links or media kits.

“BraveCat, or search for other resources on the Library’s pages. Behind the scenes, library staff see a more modern and streamlined look.”

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Thank you for being a member of the Friends of the Library. Your membership dues help support the goals and scholarships of the FOL. The Friends could not continue to fund scholarships and programs without your support. You can continue to help the Friends grow by encouraging your friends and family to join, by purchasing a Friends membership for family and friends as birthday or holiday presents, and by checking out materials and attending the programs sponsored by the Friends of the Library.

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Special Summer Instruction with Junior Braves and BAR
by Claire Clemens

Each summer Mary Livermore Library is delighted to conduct research sessions for young people enrolled in a variety of UNCP enrichment programs.

This July, the Library welcomed over forty rising third through eighth graders, attendees at one of the two Junior Braves week-long programs offered by the Office of Engaged Outreach and the Regional Center. Librarians provided research-related activities for four groups in three areas: Animal Exploration, Library Resources, and Google Earth.

Claire Clemens, Instructional Services/Reference Librarian, took a look at how information gets on the Internet, using the example of animal research. By examining the reference list at the end of a Wikipedia entry, students could see that the original sources were articles and books. After searching the library catalog for books, each student located and used three print sources to complete a graphic organizer on an animal of his/her choice. Robert Arndt, Reference/Instructional Services Librarian, devised a very popular library scavenger hunt to actively engage students in locating library materials of all kinds.

Working in pairs, students hunted for clues in books and DVDs, which led them to search the library catalog in order to find subsequent items containing new clues. In the library technology classroom, Michael Alewine, Outreach/Distance Education Librarian, set up laptops equipped with the latest version of Google Earth. The excitement was evident as students were guided through a series of amazing geographical discoveries.

High school students enrolled in the Summer Transportation Institute came to the Library for an introduction to research. Our online research guide (http://libguides.uncp.edu/transportation) provides an excellent overview of many possible career areas in transportation. Forty recent high school graduates participating in Raising the BAR (Braves Academic Readiness) - a summer bridge program for selected freshmen – joined us one night a week for four weeks. In a series of classes, students learned how to navigate academic resources in preparation for doing research at the university level.

Both the librarians and the prospective UNCP students shared in the joy of these special summer learning opportunities.
Message from the Dean of Library Services

We are once again welcoming a new academic year. I always vow to never say what a quick summer it has been, but again it is the first thing that comes to mind. This year our Friends of the Library organization is extremely excited to be able to add another $10,000 to our Endowed General Scholarship. This means that we will now offer two, not one, $500 scholarships under this particular fund. And what is especially exciting is that the Friends now offer a total of nine scholarships to UNCP students.

Dr. David Nikkel is our new president of the Friends of the Library Board and brings his enthusiasm to our projects. Our returning Board members bring experience that is invaluable to successful endeavors. Information will be forthcoming about the Faculty Showcases planned for this year, as well as other programs and activities, which will be sponsored by the Friends.

The Library has been very busy preparing for returning faculty and students. We continue to offer our first credit-bearing course, Lib 1000: Introduction to Academic Research. The fact that this course was so well received last year means that we are offering more sections this year. One of our most noticeable changes is the look of our webpage. It reflects the update of the University’s web presence, and users will notice that there is no longer a Coastal Carolina Library Consortium search option. This means that users can no longer search the catalogs of Fayetteville State University and the University of North Carolina Wilmington while searching our Library’s online catalog BraveCat. They can still search these libraries’ online catalogs, but not as a part of a single search. Additionally, if they find an item that they would like to use at one of the libraries, they will need to request it through interlibrary loan. More information about this transition is found in another article in this newsletter.

Support from all our Friends members is essential to the development and growth of initiatives such as scholarships which assist UNCP students, sponsorship of author appearances and reading programs, and funding of materials needed by the Library. As always, thank you if you are already a member and thank you to those who realize the importance of becoming a member. I can’t think of any better way to begin a new academic year than by renewing or starting a membership in our Friends of the Library. The application to join the Friends can be found at the end of this newsletter. If you have any questions, please call Chris Bowyer at 910.521.6483 or me at 910.521.6212. Information about the Friends, along with membership forms, can be found at http://www.uncp.edu/academics/library/friends-library

Message from the FOL President

It’s my pleasure to serve as president of the Friends of the Library Board for the 2014-15 academic year. I hope you’ll consider joining me in the good work the Friends of the Library do by becoming a member, if you’re not already. For just a $10 tax-deductible donation, you will contribute towards the following programs and projects we sponsor: 1) annual scholarships in five different categories for numerous UNCP students; 2) purchasing materials not covered under the Library’s budget; 3) along with fellow sponsors, the Kiwars of Robeson County, a Poetry and Short Prose Contest. This annual contest rewards not only UNCP students but also high school students and members of the community in several categories; 4) three to four Faculty showcases each year for book authors to discuss their work, thus honoring faculty and students; 2) purchasing materials not covered under the Library’s budget; 3) along with fellow sponsors, and 7) miscellaneous other endeavors each year.

For faculty and staff, joining Friends of the Library is a way to give a gift to our University, all of which will directly support its principal purposes—educating our students and supporting scholarship that touches our campus and the wider community. For Friends from the community, your membership entitles you to borrow books, audio books, DVDs, and other circulating materials. With your help, I’m looking forward to an exciting, rewarding year for the Friends of the Library.

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Scholarship Winners Announced at Library Event

by David Young

During the Scholarship Winners Announced at Library Event of the Friends of the Library (FOL) annual membership meeting, eight recipients of the 2014 scholarships were recognized. Three endowed scholarships and five non-endowed scholarships were presented at the April 16th FOL event. Certificates were presented to all scholarship winners.

The Friends of the Library Dean Elinor F. Foster Scholarship ($1,000) was awarded to Cassidy Jordan Miles, a sophomore psychology major from Marshville, North Carolina; the Ben Chavis, Grandmother Lela Locklear Chavis and Great-great grandfather John Archie Locklear/Friends of the Library Endowed Scholarship ($1,000) was awarded to Christian Butler Ryckeley, a junior biology major from Tar Heel, North Carolina; the Friends of the Library Endowed Scholarship ($500) was awarded to Zachary R. Lunn, a sophomore biology major from Lumber Bridge, North Carolina; the Friends of the Library Generalist Endowed Scholarship ($500) was awarded to Heidi Pinkerton, a senior biology/chemistry major from Hope Mills, North Carolina.

Four book scholarships ($300 each) were awarded to the following students: Lewis Duran Adams, a senior business management major from Lilesville, North Carolina; Jasmine Akai Akalaonu, a graduate student in social work from Fayetteville, North Carolina; Mireida Perez-Cortez, a sophomore mathematics education major from Asheboro, North Carolina; and Hannah Rachael Lineberger, a junior elementary education major from Fayetteville, North Carolina.

The Friends of the Library Board of Directors and the FOL Scholarship Committee would like to take this opportunity to congratulate all the winners of the 2014 scholarships.